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Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000, provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995.

See The American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA)

Application No.	09/763,767
Filing Date	February 26, 2001
First Named Inventor	David Edwin Thurston
Group Art Unit	1624
Examiner Name	Brenda Libby Coleman
Attorney Docket Number	065435-9002

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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114, of the above-identified application.

Submissions Included:

- Information Disclosure Statement
- Amendment
- Replacement Drawings – 35 Figures on 33 sheets
- Notification of Withdrawal of Claim to Small Entity Status

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TOTAL CLAIMS	54	MINUS	54	0	X \$50	0.00	
INDEP. CLAIMS	8	MINUS	8	0	X \$200	0.00	
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